

**STATE OF HAWAII
2011 REAPPORTIONMENT COMMISSION**

**NOTICE OF MEETING
APPORTIONMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR OAHU**

Date: Wednesday, June 8, 2011
Time: 1:00 PM
Place: State Capitol, Conference Room 329
415 S. Beretania Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call and Determination of a Quorum
- III. Public Testimony – Any interested person may submit data, views or arguments on any agenda item
- IV. Discussion of Permanent Residents definition

At the request of the Reapportionment Commission, the Advisory Councils have been asked to seek community input and discuss options for who should be counted as permanent residents for redistricting purposes. The discussion will include whether felons, military personnel, the dependents of military personnel, or non-resident students shall be included in the definition.

- V. Discussion of Multi-Member Districts

The Advisory Councils have been asked to seek community input and discuss whether the Commission should permit multi-member districts for the purposes of representing residents in the State Legislature. Note: an opinion from the State Attorney General's office is pending and may impact whether this topic remains on the agenda.

- VI. Canoe Districts and district boundaries

The Reapportionment Commission also asked Advisory Councils to gather comments regarding the reinstatement of canoe districts, defined as a legislative district that covers more than one geographic island. Additionally, Councils are being asked to solicit comments on whether the existing legislative district boundaries shall be used as a starting point to redraw the new district boundaries

- VI. Schedule of future meetings and adjournment

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